

Reduction Sale of Solid Silver

Once a year during the month of February we make special reduced prices on Solid Table Silver. Most of this Silver is very heavy quality, and the only reason for these reduced prices are to close out odd lots, in most cases one, two and three pieces of a kind. We are changing our patterns for the next year. These patterns are good, and probably just as nice as the new ones, but the manufacturers are making new designs, and consequently we have to close out these patterns we have on hand at greatly reduced prices. This sale of Table Silverware is out of the ordinary in both quality and price, and every housekeeper, and those who give gifts, either now or in the near future, will be profited greatly by purchasing during this sale.

- Extra Large Heavy Spoons, new shapes, grey finished handles, were \$5.50; special, **\$3.50**
- Extra Heavy Berry and Ice Spoons, large size, assorted patterns, assorted shapes; Pie and Ice Cream Knives, worth \$7.00; special, **\$4.89**
- Extra Heavy Ice Spoons or Pea Servers; special at, **\$3.98**
- Extra Heavy Weight Butter Picks, worth \$1.00; special, **79c**
- Bouillon Spoons, heavy weight, worth \$1.15 dozen; special, **\$10.00**
- Large Pie Servers, regular \$7.50 value; special, **\$5.00**
- Long Handle Olive Spoons, extra heavy; special, **\$1.69**
- An assortment of Extra Heavy Croquet Servers, Cheese Scoops, Pie Knives, Salad Spoons, worth \$5.00; reduced to, **\$3.69**
- Salad Forks and Berry Spoons, grey finish handles, were \$4.98; reduced to, **\$2.50**
- Assorted designs in Heavy Butter Knives, were \$3.50; reduced to, **\$2.00**
- Extra Heavy Butter Knives, were \$2.50; reduced to, **\$1.50**
- Butter Knives, were \$1.75; reduced to, **\$1.00**
- Butter Knives and Cheese Servers, extra heavy quality; special, **\$2.50**
- Preserve Spoons reduced to, **\$2.00**
- Large Size Soup Ladles, with gold or polished bowls, were \$7.69; special, **\$5.98**

Miller & Rhoads

PRISON CHAPLAIN IS NOT FAVORED

Ministers Urge House to Defeat Rison Amendment to Divorce Law.

At a meeting of the Ministerial Union of Richmond and Manchester yesterday, members discussed the proposition of recommending to the Legislature the appointment of a regular chaplain to the State Penitentiary, to be paid for by the State. While some members of the union were in favor of it, there were a number on the opposing side, who held that it was an unhealthy mixing of church and state. A resolution was finally passed, providing that each denomination appoint its own chaplain to work among the convicts, and that nothing be asked from the Legislature for their support.

A resolution was adopted requesting the Legislature to vote down the Rison bill, stating that in the sentiment of the ministers of the two cities that the law, unless it could be made more stringent, remain as at present.

The following officers, elected at the last meeting, were installed: President, Rev. J. N. Latham, D. D.; First Vice-President, Rev. George W. McDaniel, D. D.; Second Vice-President, Frank T. McFadden, D. D.; Third Vice-President, Rev. B. H. Melton; Fourth Vice-President, Rev. J. J. Sherer; Secretary-Treasurer, Rev. H. P. Atkins.

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M'INTIRE HEIRS ORGANIZE FIRM

Corporation Commission Authorizes Increase in Stock of Pitts Furniture Company.

The State Corporation Commission yesterday amended the charter of the Pitts Furniture Company (Inc.), of this city, increasing the maximum capital stock from \$30,000 to \$75,000. Other amendments in the charter also provide for the issuance of preferred stock.

Heirs of the late J. D. McIntire, a wholesale commission merchant, who died here some days ago, yesterday secured a charter for the continuation of his business under the style "The J. D. McIntire Company (Inc.," with the principal office in Richmond. The incorporators are Katherine A. McIntire, president; Helen J. McIntire, secretary and treasurer, and Richard M. McIntire—all of Richmond. The capital stock is to be: Maximum, \$10,000, and the minimum \$5,000, and the object of and purpose is to conduct a wholesale commission produce business.

Other charters granted yesterday by the Corporation Commission include the following: The Grand Lodge of the Baltimore Union of the United States, Baltimore, Inc., Portsmouth, Va. Incorporators—David W. Lee, secretary; R. H. Riddick, president; James Y. Copeland—all of Portsmouth. Objects and purposes: Fraternal beneficiary association.

W. P. Bunch & Company (Inc.), Principal office, Roanoke, Va. Incorporators—W. P. Bunch, president, Roanoke, Va.; L. J. Upton, vice-president, Norfolk, Va.; W. S. Cross, secretary and treasurer, Suffolk, Va. Capital stock, Maximum, \$15,000; minimum, \$5,000. Objects and purposes: Wholesale fruit and produce business.

The Brickhouse Packing Company (Inc.). Principal office, Hare Valley, Va. Incorporators—M. J. Chisum, president, Norfolk, Va.; W. B. Upshur, vice-president, Hare Valley, Va.; C. J. Bledsoe, secretary, Hare Valley, Va. Capital stock, Maximum, \$50,000; minimum, \$15,000. Objects and purposes: Banking business.

Gordon Development Company (Inc.). Principal office, Roanoke, Va. Incorporators—James P. Hart, president; H. H. Markley, vice-president; F. L. Temple, secretary—all of Roanoke, Va. Capital stock, Maximum, \$15,000; minimum, \$5,000. Objects and purposes: Real estate business.

Wash-Quick (Inc.). Principal office, Richmond, Inc. Incorporators—E. S. Evans, president; E. N. Newman, secretary and treasurer, J. H. Schenck, manager—all of Richmond. Capital stock, Maximum, \$50,000; minimum, \$20,000. Objects and purposes: Manufacture of a washing powder.

Dinwiddie Distilling Company (Inc.). Principal office, Petersburg, Va. Incorporators—W. J. Stafford, president; W. H. Flowers, vice-president; J. Y. Stafford, secretary and treasurer—all of Petersburg, Va. Capital stock, Maximum, \$25,000; minimum, \$10,000. Objects and purposes: Manufacture and sell liquors.

Blindon Grocery Company (Inc.). Principal office, Petersburg, Va. Incorporators—J. A. Blindon, president; C. W. Binford, vice-president; A. R. Binford, secretary—all of Petersburg, Va. Capital stock, Maximum, \$25,000; minimum, \$10,000. Objects and purposes: Grocery business (wholesale).

COURT OF EQUITY CANNOT FIX

Contention of Railroad Sustained in Two Opinions by Judge Pritchard.

SOLE POWER TO COMMISSION

Effect of Ruling Is That Federal Body Has Exclusive Jurisdiction.

Two opinions by Judge Pritchard, in each of which the contention of the railroad is sustained, and that it is not within the legitimate province of a court of equity, in a controversy between interstate carriers and shippers, to fix a maximum freight rate, is sustained, were handed down yesterday morning in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals. The opinions affirm the lower courts in the cases of the Columbus Iron and Steel Company, appellant, vs. the Kanawha and Michigan Railway Company, appellee, and the Houston Coal and Coke Company, appellant, vs. the Norfolk and Western Railway, appellee.

The opinions sustain the lower court in its ruling that courts of equity have no right to fix a maximum rate, "either upon an independent consideration of what is a reasonable charge, or by relation to some other rate then or hereafter fixed, and thereupon to enjoin the carrier from demanding more than the rate so established, inasmuch as such an order effectually deprives an interstate carrier of the right to fix its rates in the first instance, and to change the same, with power, as it seems, is conceded to the carrier by the interstate commerce act."

Commission Has Jurisdiction. The effect of the ruling is to declare that the Interstate Commerce Commission has primarily exclusive jurisdiction over matters pertaining to fixing rates and determining the reasonableness of rates, and that the courts, if they find that the rates are unreasonable, may enjoin the carrier from demanding more than the rate so established, inasmuch as such an order effectually deprives an interstate carrier of the right to fix its rates in the first instance, and to change the same, with power, as it seems, is conceded to the carrier by the interstate commerce act.

Charges of Conspiracy. The main allegations were that the railroad was unreasonable, that the trade and commerce of the Columbus Iron and Steel Company were built on its faith in the continuance of the rates, and that the proposed change would destroy the business and operate as a discrimination in the rate trade in favor of certain coal districts in Ohio and Pennsylvania, and that the establishment of the proposed rate was for the purpose of preventing a railroad war and was a result of a conspiracy between the railroad and the coal districts.

Upon presentation of the bill a restraining order was issued. The railroad company demurred to the bill and asked that the restraining order be dissolved on the ground that the court was without jurisdiction and the bill was without equity. A full argument was heard and the court sustained the demurrer and dissolved the restraining order. It was this action that yesterday afternoon the court took in the case of the Columbus Iron and Steel Company vs. the Kanawha and Michigan Railway Company.

Judge Pritchard, in the case of the Houston Coal and Coke Company vs. the Norfolk and Western Railway, did not reverse the lower court, but he maintained the question at issue in the opinion handed down contemporaneously.

COLORED CHURCHES TO HELP AFFLICTED COLLEGE. Colored pastors of this city are calling on their congregations to raise money for the assistance of the Virginia Seminary and College of Lynchburg, which was recently closed by order of the county authorities for two weeks because of a riotous mob of negroes or white in the case of a student there.

The executive board of the institution has sent out a circular letter stating that this action has cut off a part of the amount allowed, saying also that the college was in need of money and money for the teachers' salaries. Churches throughout the State are asked to help them.

Wednesday Club Rehearsal. The Wednesday Club will hold its rehearsal for the annual Christmas Association ball to-night at 8:30 o'clock. Every member is requested to present and stinkers desiring to join the club at the rehearsal, to hand in their names to-night. It has been agreed that no new names may be added at the rehearsal, and that all who contemplate singing with the club in the approaching festival are urged to be enrolled at once.

Address to Railroad Men. George A. Post, president of the Railroad Business Association, of New York, delivered an address before the Railroad Club at Murphy's Hotel last night, his subject dealing with the railroad situation by manufacturers.

Milk Bill Hearing To-Night. The House Committee on Agriculture and Mining will hold another hearing to-night at 4 o'clock on the Throckmorton milk bill, which is being opposed by the cities which it will affect. Such pressure as manufacturers bear against the measure that there is a general belief it will be reported unfavorably.

Seized Collector Still. Deputy Collector Adams reported the seizure of a quantity of cigarettes of beer near Benson, Johnson county, N. C. yesterday. A warrant was sworn out for the proprietor, who escaped after the officers arrived.

Qualified as Administrator. L. D. Utley qualified yesterday in the Chancery Court as administrator of the estate of William H. Utley. The estate is valued at \$115.

MAY LEAVE VIRGINIA. Professor Graves Said to Have Offered to Leave the State.

Richard Saunders, of 604 West Franklin Street, has been appointed assistant manager of the University of Virginia football team for 1910. Saunders is a first-year man at the university, and is a member of the Junior law class. He has had much experience in conducting athletics, and it is believed he will be an able assistant to Manager McDonald.

DOCTORS ARRIVE FOR CONVENTION

Tri-State Medical Association to Begin Session Early To-Day.

WELCOME BY GOVERNOR MANN

"The Religious Press and Quackery" to Be Discussed by Dr. Hughes.

Physicians from this State, North and South Carolina and other parts of the country registered at the hotels last night for the Tri-State Medical Society, which will be called to order in the Jefferson Hotel auditorium this morning at 10 o'clock. Other members are expected to arrive on the early train to-day. Among the arrivals last night were several specialists from other States who have been invited to address the convention on technical questions.

The day's session will be called to order by Dr. Joseph A. White, of this city, chairman of the committee on arrangements. There will be an invocation by Rev. H. D. C. MacLachlan, pastor of the Seventh Street Christian Church. Dr. White will then introduce Governor William H. Mann, who will deliver the welcoming address, which will be responded to by Dr. Herbert A. Boyer, of Raleigh, N. C. The convention will be then declared formally opened and the annual address read by the president, Dr. LeGrand Guerry, of Columbia, S. C.

Many Important Papers. On completing his address Dr. Guerry will take the chair and begin the regular business of the convention, which will consist for the most part of the reading of scientific papers. Some of the papers to be read are: "The Religious Press and Quackery," by Dr. R. E. Hughes, of Raleigh, N. C., and "The South Has Done for Surgery," by Dr. A. K. Taylor, Washington, N. C.

The day session, with the exception of a short intermission at lunch, will be continued until night. The last paper, "The Contribution of Animal Experimentation to Medicine," will be read by Dr. H. A. Christian, of Boston, at 8:15 P. M.

The women of the convention will be entertained at a luncheon at the Woman's Club, to-night. Dr. Stuart McGuire invites all members of the association to be present at a reception to be held at the Hotel Raleigh, corner of Sixth and Grace Streets.

RACE MEET PLANS WELL UNDER WAY

James W. Graves Is Chosen President by Directors of Association.

The directors of the Virginia Racing and Horse Show Association met yesterday afternoon at the Hotel Raleigh, and elected James W. Graves, president; John Landstreet, vice-president; Mark L. Lloyd, secretary; and E. D. Harris, treasurer. Indications are that the meet, which will be held at the State Fair Grounds, May 15 to 25, will be the most successful the association has ever held as many owners in various sections of Virginia, West Virginia and other States have written for information regarding the classes.

The entries in flat races and in the jumping classes will be more numerous than last spring. No special attention will be given to the horse show feature, which has attracted the many horse men to the meet, but the special interest is the show of the light and heavyweight classes for green hunters, which are the present indications, be well filled.

The management proposes to make the show one of the biggest and best of the many shows in the State, and to this end they have started the preparations far in advance of the meeting time.

MINOR GOT CIGARETTES

Elam Banks Heads List of Many Arrested Offenders Yesterday. Elam Banks, colored, proprietor of a restaurant at Twenty-ninth and P Streets, was arrested yesterday afternoon for selling cigarettes to Ezekiah Sales, fourteen years old.

James Backman, colored, according to several witnesses, recklessly drove a team of horses in a street car, and a warrant has been executed against him, and he will be before the Police Court this morning.

George Cooke, colored, on an old warrant, was arrested for cutting Andrew Page, colored. Page's wounds are said to have been severe enough to create a felony charge. The alleged cutting happened some time ago.

Dan Kelly, who is charged with drunkennes, added to the severity of the charge against him by smashing the window of a saloon on North Ninth Street.

James Backman, colored, is believed to be guilty of larceny, but the information against him is so meagre that no charge other than the severity of the charge against him by smashing the window of a saloon on North Ninth Street.

Building Permit. A building permit was issued yesterday to P. Schiller to erect a one-story brick storage in rear of 411 North Fourth Street, to cost \$75.

Dr. Brady Improving. Colonel J. W. Brady received a telegram last night from Abingdon, Va., saying that the condition of Dr. Brady, president of the State Medical Society, was somewhat improved.

No Cough

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URGENT LARGER FUND FOR RIVER WORK

Chamber Directors Want Virginia Delegation to Have Amount Increased.

PLAN BIG WHARVES, TOO

Richmond Members Requested to Oppose Tax on Tobacco Manufacturers.

Resolutions were adopted at a special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce directors yesterday appointing a committee of five from that body and asking the Mayor to appoint one of like number from the Council to go before the Virginia representatives in Congress and try if possible to get a larger appropriation for the improvement of James River this year, or at least to pave the way for obtaining a sufficient amount before the next session of Congress.

The Committee on Rivers and Harbors has recommended \$100,000 for this State, but the committee will ask for at least \$300,000 for the proposed wharves here and other improvements, thus enabling the largest trading vessels to reach this city and get accommodations equal to those received at other ports along the Atlantic seaboard.

Thinks People Have Slept. John C. Freeman and O. Herbert Funsten said that the people had practically been asleep, while other cities whose causes were no less meritorious had got what they wanted because of their activity. Mr. Funsten criticized the Council, saying that the city as he could see the City Hall people as well as citizens had been asleep on a most important proposition. Alderman Hobson was highly in favor of the improvements, and said that if the chamber would take one-tenth of the interest in wharves and the improvement of the river as it is in consolidation, something definite might be done in twenty-four hours.

Mr. Freeman made a speech almost identical with that made before the Finance Committee of the Council a few nights ago, showing that the improvement of wharves and building of wharves would benefit the railways and manufacturers, as much as any other class, which several railroad men and manufacturers agreed was right. "Show Congress first," he said, "that you have a case, and there will be but little difficulty in gaining your ends."

He then read what the State was doing for their waterways, adding that the cut through Cape Cod, though a much larger proposition than that through the curves at City Point, on James River, would be completed first.

Invite Delegation Here. President Funsten will appoint the Chamber of Commerce committee probably to-day, and Mayor Richardson will be asked at once to name the Council representation. As the matter is urgent, the municipal committee will go as soon as practicable, leaving the question of expenses to be decided later. The joint committee will invite Senator Martin and the other representatives to visit Richmond in order that they may see personally the wants of the city in the way of wharves and river improvement.

The bill taxing tobacco manufacturers was briefly discussed and a resolution passed asking the city's representatives in the Legislature to use their influence in opposing it. Several of the members stated that they thought that in the event of the passage of such a bill the American Tobacco Company would move some of its plants from Richmond to New Jersey, a move it started to make in 1891. At that time a committee of prominent men induced the company to remain here.

WHY STREET CAR MEN GO HUNGRY

Bessie Hopkins Explains Secrets When Baskets Are Found at Reservoir.

After subsisting since winter began on the contents of meal-baskets left at street car transfer points for conductors and motormen, Bessie Hopkins, colored, was arrested last night, and later confessed that she had stolen more baskets than she can count. Bessie has cleverly avoided arrest for months, and might have never been captured had not the fact that she invariably left the baskets in the same place, near the Reservoir.

A good many street railway employees have complained that their meals have disappeared from Robinson and Main Streets, and as each night some man must work twelve hours without food, the street car authorities set their trap, which sprung successfully yesterday. A pile of baskets, many of which contained plates and saucers, were located in the bushes at the park, and last night, just about Bessie's supper time, a policeman went to the spot. He had not waited long when the woman came to add another empty to the pile.

She was immediately captured, of course, and in the surprise attendant thereupon, disclosed the secret of why many men have gone without food. The problem was fast becoming a serious one, as lunchmen began to complain of boarders who did not include the price of china in their monthly or weekly settlements. Bessie is an old hand at the luncheon basket game, having been up before on a similar offense, and she is thoroughly familiar, it is said, with the interior of the jail and penitentiary.

JURY EXONERATES MOTORMAN OWENS

Street Car Man Must Answer in Court, However, for Death of Ligon.

Motorman J. J. Owens, of the Main Street line, was exonerated of criminal responsibility for the death of W. O. Ligon by the coroner's jury, which examined into the circumstances yesterday morning. Ligon died in the Virginia Hospital last Friday afternoon, three days after the accident in Fulton. The evidence showed conclusively that the motorman did everything in his power to check his car, but that Ligon did not get off the track in time.

Ligon's wagon was upset and he was thrown to the cobblestones. Mrs. Ligon was with her husband at the time, and one of the witnesses testified that she was trying to get him from under the vehicle when he arrived on the scene. The Ligon family, which came to Virginia from Tennessee, had purchased a farm in Henrico, and was engaged in moving furniture when the husband met his death. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the mortuary chapel in Hollywood Cemetery.

The finding of the coroner's jury is as follows: "That William O. Ligon came to his death February 11 from injuries resulting from a collision on February 8 between a vehicle which he was riding and car 806 of the Virginia Railway and Power Company, of which Joseph Jackson Owens was motorman, and they are of the opinion that the motorman is not criminally responsible for the occurrence."

There is a murder warrant pending against Owens, but the date for his trial in the Police Court has not been set. It is more than probable in view of the verdict of the coroner's jury, that Ligon will be dismissed, and the preliminary hearing. He is bailed for his appearance in court.

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So When Sam Declined, He Was Shot, Saving Bullet as Evidence in Court.

Believing that the most convincing bit of evidence for the conviction of his assailant would be the bullet with which he was wounded, Samuel Jenkins, colored, who was shot and dangerously hurt Sunday night by James Johnson, stopped long enough after the assault to pick the leaden missile from a telephone pole. Not until yesterday morning, when the wounded negro was taken to the hospital, did police learn that a near-tragedy had been committed in the ward, on Baker Street.

Jenkins says he was walking down the street whistling "Happy Days," when he met Jim, who ordered that he dance an accompaniment to the tune. "I ain't much of a dancer," said Sam last night, "and I didn't have any idea of being hounded into shaking my feet by a man no bigger than me."

Sam has a warrant for Jim, but he waited too long to get it and as there is talk in the neighborhood that Jim never forgave him, he may never face a jury for his crime.

Dr. Davis did not have the trouble of removing the bullet, as it had passed entirely through the right leg, below the hip, inflicting an injury which neglect may make very serious. The patient is at the City Hospital. Johnson, a well known to the police, and if he frequents any of his old haunts regularly again he may be captured. Sam refuses to part with the bullet, and unless it is needed in court he promises to keep it as a memento until his dying day.

COURT OF APPEALS

Opinions by Judge Pritchard in Two Important Cases. The United States Circuit Court of Appeals rendered yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock, with Circuit Judges Goff and Pritchard and District Judges Dayton and Boyd in attendance. There being no argument, although the court held a conference session. Opinions were announced and handed down in two cases.

No. 911.—The Columbus Iron and Steel Company, appellant, vs. the Kanawha and Michigan Railway Company, appellee, appeal from the Circuit Court at Huntington, W. Va. Opinion by Judge Pritchard. Affirmed, with costs. No. 912.—The Columbus Iron and Steel Company, appellant, vs. the Norfolk and Western Railway, appellee; appeal from the Circuit Court at Leesburg, Va. Opinion by Judge Pritchard. Affirmed, with costs.

The following case is in the call for to-day: The United States vs. Western, et al., United States of America, vs. W. Reath, of Philadelphia, and Robertson, Smith & Vinfield, of Roanoke, Va. Appeal from the Circuit Court at Roanoke, Va. Opinion by Judge Pritchard. Affirmed, with costs. The following case is in the call for to-day: The United States vs. Western, et al., United States of America, vs. W. Reath, of Philadelphia, and Robertson, Smith & Vinfield, of Roanoke, Va. Appeal from the Circuit Court at Roanoke, Va. Opinion by Judge Pritchard. Affirmed, with costs.

Bought Whiskey for Student. John Taylor (colored) was convicted in the Police Court yesterday morning of buying whiskey for a student. He pleaded ignorance as an excuse for his act, but the customary penalty—a fine of \$100 and security for good behavior—was imposed. The case was a cadet at Fork Union Academy, was dismissed, although a charge of disorderly conduct was brought against him.

Marriage Licenses. Marriage licenses were issued in the Police Court last night at the City Hall to William H. Meade and Sallie P. Vaughan; David J. Martin and Carrie Douglas Moring; and William H. Wood and Addie W. Booker.

Burial Permits at Night. The Board of Health at its meeting last night received a request from undertakers that some arrangement be made by which they could secure burial permits at night and on Sundays and holidays. It was shown that this is often necessary where bodies have to be shipped away from Richmond. The board will endeavor to comply with the request.

VETERAN DIED IN BED

Archie Tucker, seventy-four years old, an inmate of the Confederate Soldiers' Home, died yesterday morning. Coroner Taylor viewed the remains, but Tucker had been ill for some months, and his death was due to natural causes.

Adopt Lucy Lee Tinslee

Judge R. Carter Scott, in the City Circuit Court, yesterday entered an order adopting as their own child Lucy Lee Tinslee, a four-year-old child, who has been in the custody of the Children's Home Society of Virginia, and to change the name of the child to Gladys Virginia Walters.

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